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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Gerd HEXELS  
Serial no. : 10/581,898  
Confirmation No. :  
Filed : with an effective filing date of November 30, 2004  
For : PROTECTIVE CLOTHING FOR THE LOWER  
PART OF THE LEG  
Group Art Unit : 3765  
Examiner : Alissa L. HOEY  
Docket : LORWER P45AUS

The Commissioner for Patents  
U.S. Patent & Trademark Office  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

[XXX] A CHECK FOR THE FEES INDICATED BELOW, BASED UPON THE APPLICANT'S SMALL ENTITY STATUS, ACCOMPANIES THIS RESPONSE.	
PETITION FOR -MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME (2252)	\$245.00
TOTAL	\$245.00

In response to the official action mailed March 9, 2009, the Applicant is petitioning for a two month extension of term, attached hereto, thereby extending the term for response to and including **August 9, 2009— since this date is a Sunday, the response may be timely filed on Monday, August, 10, 2009.**

Please enter the following before reconsideration of this application.

**In the Claims:**

Please cancel claims 55 and 57, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter therein, in favor of new claim 72 and amend claims 37, 47, 48, 50, 59, 60, 62 and 71 as follows in which the claim additions are shown by underlining and/or the claim deletions are shown by either strikeout or brackets. Please enter the amended claims into the record of this case.